

Person—chronic health evaluation indicator, comorbidity code A(7)

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Chronic health evaluation indicator (based on 7 comorbidities)
METEOR identifier:	320894
Registration status:	Health! , Recorded 14/07/2006
Definition:	A chronic health evaluation of a person related to evidence of organ insufficiency and/or immunodeficiency state represented by a set of seven comorbidity indicators.
Context:	Adult intensive care
Data Element Concept:	Person—chronic health evaluation
Value Domain:	Chronic health evaluation comorbidity code A(7)

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Text
Data type:	String
Format:	A(7)
Maximum character length:	7

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

Multiple comorbidities can be recorded for the one hospital admission.

Code Y Comorbidity exists

Code N Comorbidity does not exist

For each of the following evaluated clinical states, code Y if the comorbidity exists or code N if the comorbidity does not exist.

- AIDS
- hepatic failure
- lymphoma
- metastatic cancer
- leukaemia-myeloma
- immunosuppressed
- cirrhosis

Examples:

Comorbidities are recorded in this order.

AIDS	Hepatic failure	Lymphoma	Metastatic Cancer	Leukaemia-myeloma	Immuno-supressed	Cirrhosis
Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N

Code	Code represents
YNNNNNN	AIDS comorbidity exists. Hepatic failure, lymphoma, metastatic cancer, leukaemia-myeloma, immunosuppressed and cirrhosis do not exist.
NYNYNNN	Hepatic failure and metastatic co-morbidities exist. AIDS, lymphoma, leukaemia-myeloma, immunosuppressed and cirrhosis do not exist.

Data element attributes

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set [Intensive care DSS](#)
 Specifications: [Health!](#), Recorded 14/07/2006